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$200 TO BELGIANS

COMMERCIAL CLUB BANQUETERS CONTRIBUTE TO CAUSE.

WILL TRIPLE AMOUNT

Relief Workers Expect to Send Car of Flour to War-Stricken Country —One Gives $15.

The appeal for aid to the hungry Belgians, which first was made at a banquet of 100 members of the Commercial club last night, brought down within ten minutes a shower of slightly more than $200, or, to be exact, $206.25. It was no "bleeding" affair. Just a little explanation of what was needed and what the local relief committee expected to do, and the purse string of virtually every banqueter was opened and contributions ranging from $15 down to a half dollar were offered up so rapidly that for awhile they could not be noted.

The relief work for the hungry Belgians is under the direction of Paul Sisson, who has received the co-operation and aid of the Commercial club and business houses. It is planned to raise between $600 and $700, with which to purchase one car of Nodaway county flour to be sent to Belgium. The same appeal is being made in hundreds of places throughout this country, and everywhere seems to be meeting with a ready response.

Children to Help.

Each school teacher in the city and each Sunday school and church also will be expected to aid the movement, the teachers by soliciting gifts from the children and the churches by contributing to the fund. One speaker last night told of the plan of two little girls in his neighborhood to each give $2, and of another to donate $1 to the Belgians.

The contributions last night came from various sources. Bankers, farmers and merchants aided in last night's relief fund, while J. L. McCague of Omaha, speaker of the evening, gave up $5 willingly amid cheers from the diners. An inkling of what a knowledge of real conditions will lead one to do was brought out in the highest single contribution—$15 by Gus Athans.

He fought for his native country through the recent Balkan war, and was aware, in part at least, of what war is, and what the consequences and results are. How much could have been raised last night had each of the 100 knew what Athans knows can only be conjectured.

May Contribute at Banks.

Although no soliciting will be done, arrangements have been made to receive Belgium relief fund contributions at each of the four banks of the city and the Commercial club office. Contributions from civic clubs or individuals of other towns over Nodaway county also will be received and credit given.

The campaign for funds will be held open perhaps a week or more, then the fund invested in flour from the only mill in Nodaway county, that operated by the Wolfers Mercantile company of Hopkins. This company has agreed to donate 1,000 pounds of flour and sell the relief committee of Maryville a car load of flour of 30,000 pounds for $675. The flour will be placed in forty-eight pound sacks.

Sack Lasts Three Months.

It will be shipped direct from Hopkins to Philadelphia free by the railroads. At Philadelphia the contributions from over the country will be loaded aboard a ship and sent early next month to London. From there it will be reshipped to Rotterdam, thence transferred and taken by rail to Brussels, and there distributed under the direction of the American minister to Belgium.

One 48-pound sack of flour will maintain one person for three months, it is said, so that by contributing scarcely more than $1 to the relief fund, one Belgian will be fed for one-fourth of a year thereby. The movement has received the sanction of all warring nations, and each has agreed to protect the cargo so far as possible.

Frank Doppler Dies.

Word was received yesterday by friends of the Doppler family in this city of the death of Frank Doppler of Weston, Mo., which occurred yesterday morning. Mr. Doppler was the senior member of the firm of Doppler Brothers, and was very well known to a number of people in Maryville.

Get Permit to Wed.

A marriage license was issued yesterday in the office of the recorder of deeds to Charles J. Taylor, 35 years old, of Hopkins, and Myrtle I. Gray, 26, years old, of Chicago.

Visiting in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Edward Godsey and children have gone to St. Joseph to spend the week end with her sister, Mrs. S. M. Smith, and family.

HOLDS SELECMAN RITES.

Funeral Services for S. G. Selecman Held This Afternoon.

The funeral services for Samuel G. Selecman, who died Wednesday morning, were held this afternoon at the Buchanan Street Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. John H. Hubbard.

The pall bearers, chosen from the I. O. O. F. lodge and the Wage Earners class of the Buchanan Street church, of which Mr. Selecman was a member, were M. A. Peery, E. J. Thornton, Chester Bennett, Alfred McNeal, H. C. Smith and John Awalt.

The interment was made in Miriam cemetery and the services at the grave were in charge of the Odd Fellows lodge.

Among the out-of-town relatives attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Selecman of Cosby, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Chandler of Kansas City, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Selecman and Alex Selecman of Savannah, Mrs. G. W. Bowmer of St. Joseph and George Selecman of Barnard.

AUTOS PROMOTE GOOD ROADS.

Farmers Voluntarily Improve Highways for Own Benefit.

There has been marked improvement in the roads of Missouri and other corn belt states in the last five years, which improvement is due largely to the automobile. The more automobiles there are in the country sections of any state, the better the dirt roads will be, for the very good reason that unless the roads are fairly good the automobiles will be of little use. This is one of the best illustrations of the fact that when people really want any one thing, they will get it if it lies at all within their power.

Automobiles are a luxury to most of the people in town who own them. Aside from the physician and a few others, they are not a paying property. Many people in the towns and cities have bought their automobiles on credit, or have mortgaged their property to pay for them.

Their purchase on any terms has interfered more or less with the prosperity of other lines of business equally useful and more necessary. This is not the case in the country. We seldom hear of a farmer buying an automobile unless he has the cash on hand or in sight to pay for it.

The automobile is more of a necessity to the farmer than to most townsmen. It is a luxury, just like any other thing one can do without if necessary; but the farmer gets more profit out of his automobile than the townsman generally does. It saves him time when he has to go to town. He can do a good deal of his marketing in it. He can deliver his cream in it, butter and eggs, or even a fat pig if necessary. He can take his children to school, even if the distance is long, as it often is where there is a centralized school.

Without an automobile it is often difficult to get to church. It is a great blessing to the farmer's wife. She is no longer kept at home for lack of a means of conveyance. It enables her to attend her church or club meetings, to call on her neighbors, to get a breath of fresh air after a hot and busy day.

In time, an automobile of some kind will be considered a necessity on almost every farm in the corn belt. When this time comes, good roads will become a necessity. The automobile has taught the farmer the use of the road drag. It is better than an act of the legislature for that purpose.

Notwithstanding all its cheapness, its simplicity and advantages, however, it did not come into general use until many farmers began to use the automobile.

MISS ANN MORGAN.

One of the Wealthiest Girls In America, Who Aids War Sufferers.

CENT TAX TO TALK

WAR TOLL ON TELEGRAPH, TELEPHONE EFFECTIVE SOON.

LOCAL LEVY $25 MONTH

Estimate Maryville Folks Would Pay $60 Telegraph Revenue and $250 'Phone Revenue.

Maryville folks, who use the telegraph and telephone wires will pay on an average of 85 cents daily after December 1, as a result of the hundred million dollar war tax, recently passed by congress. This will mean, if the tax should remain in force for one year that about $300 will be paid here towards the levy for just the use of the wires.

The war tax, as it is called, effects not only the telegraph and telephone users, but also tobacco and liquor users, theatre patrons and others. In fact levy has been placed on sufficient articles and in sufficient amount, it it estimated $100,000,000 will be raised thereby to off set the shutting off of tariff collections, as a result of importations ceasing almost altogether since the European war.

Levy Is One Cent.

This act provides there shall be levied a tax of one cent on each telegraph message sent out from any receiving station, where the charges are paid by the sender or where collection is made It also provides that an extra cent shall be collected on each telephone message, which exceeds in amount 15 cents.

As approximately 500 messages are sent from or are received at the local Western Union office monthly, according to W. J. Staples, manager, for which collection is made, the local telegraph office would collect about 17 cents daily, or $5 each month, after this month. This would total $60 within one year.

Tax Express Shipments.

The toll from the long distance telephone calls would be considerably larger, according to estimates furnished today by Harry Todd, local manager of the Hanamo system. It is estimated there are approximately 2,050 long distance calls made over that system from here each month. As no long distance toll from here is less than 15 cents, the minimum tax limit, it would mean the collection of $20.50 each month, or 68 cents daily, after December 1. This would total $246 within a year.

As the People's Telephone Union furnish no long distance toll service the Hanamo only will collect for the war tax.

As there also is a tax on express shipments, Maryville folks will contribute considerable through that source. The exact levy for express shipments is not definitely known at the local express office yet. However, it is believed the revenue by this means will come to a considerable figure.

Exempts Employes and Officials.

The bill provides as follows:

It shall be the duty (on and after December 1, 1914) of every person, firm or corporation owning or operating any telegraph or telephone line or lines to make within thirty days after the expiration of each month a sworn statement to the collector of internal revenue in each of their respective districts, stating the number of dispatches, messages, or conversations originated at each of their respective exchanges, toll stations, or offices, and transmitted thence over their lines during the preceding month for which a charge of 15 cents or more was imposed, and for each of such messages or conversations the said person, firm, or corporation shall collect from the person paying for the message or conversation a tax of 1 cent in addition to the regular charges for the message or conversation, which tax the said person, firm, or corporation shall in turn pay to the said collector of internal revenue of their respective districts.

Further provision is made for exempting a tax on messages sent by employes or officers of the telephone or telegraph companies or by government officials and employes.

INFECTED SHEEP INTO STATE

Iowan Breaks Quarantine Law by Driving Animals Into Irena.

Discovery that a load of sheep from Iowa, which is under quarantine because of foot and mouth disease, had been driven across the Missouri line and taken to Irena, Worth county, for reshipment to the St. Joseph market has led authorities to tighten their watch against any possible shipments from Iowa getting into Missouri by way of Worth county.

The sheep, which came from a point near Redding, were not discovered until yesterday. J. H. McElroy, deputy state veterinarian, at once ordered them returned to Iowa. The animals had been placed in the yards at Irena, where several loads of cattle and hogs were awaiting shipment to St. Joseph, and these animals are being closely watched for any possible outbreak of the disease.

LIGHTS DAZZLE HOPKINS.

New Lighting System Turned on Last Night—Hopkins Greatly Improved.

Hopkins dazzled and scintillated last night with its first electric lights. A. H. Dalby of Grant City, who installed the system, expected to have them ready earlier in the week, but it was impossible to get the work at the plant completed until last night.

The city is thoroughly illuminated with arc lights and most of the residences have been wired. The completion of the system is the placing of one of a number of civic improvements which has made Hopkins noticed all over the country for her progressiveness.

Quitman Poultry Show.

Quitman has a poultry club and is making arrangements for a poultry show, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 23, 24 and 25. The officers of the club are A. Butner, president; H. England, secretary; R. H. Smith, treasurer. The executive committee is composed of A. Johnston, J. J. Gillinger and A. C. Parshall.

Spent $139, Yet Failed.

Statements of campaign expenses filed yesterday afternoon with County Clerk George Demott shows that William G. Sawyers spent $109.90 to become prosecuting attorney on the Democratic ticket, while another statement shows C. G. McMillen of Pickering spent $139.05 in his campaign for county clerk on the Republican ticket, which he lost.

Belgian Relief Fund

Those desiring to donate toward purchasing a car load of Nodaway County Flour for the needy Belgians may leave their donation or Telephone their subscriptions to any one of the four Banks of Maryville or office of Secretary

Maryville Commercial Club

KLAW and ERLANGER Present

The Fatal Wedding

Three Parts, All Star, Famous Drama that every woman has read and will sincerely want to see tonight with regular program.

TONIGHT, FERN THEATRE, 5 and 10 Cents

SEES PROSPERITY

TIMES ARE GOOD, SAYS COMMERCIAL CLUB SPEAKER.

LAUDS ADMINISTRATION

Praises Stand of President and Congress—Richardson Explains Normal Farm Course.

Praise to President Wilson, his cabinet and congress for their stand in the war crisis, bouquets to Missouri, and Maryville in particular, and optimistic views of the condition in general over this country, flowed from the lips of John L. McCague, chairman of the executive board of the Omaha Commercial club, in the principal and closing address before the Maryville Commercial club last night at the Elks club. It was the initial monthly session of the civic organization of the fall and winter.

Mr. McCague is considered well posted at all times on general business conditions over the country, and the address to the Maryville business men last night showed it. After paying a few compliments to Maryville, its beautiful homes, fine schools and prosperous appearance, and to the well kept farms surrounding, he launched out on his topic of business.

Bounded by Trade Field.

"A town is as large as its trade territory," said Mr. McCague. "It is limited by the field which it is supposed to represent. Maryville being the county seat of and almost in the center of one of the most prosperous and evenly populated counties in this state, has an outlook which should be envied. This county having a population, I understand, of about 30,000, Maryville should get the trade of at least a portion of each of those 30,000.

"Whether it is doing it, I do not know, but from appearances the merchants here are drawing the usual out-of-town business and then some. I am a firm believer in the remarks of a previous speaker relative to that 'personal touch' between business man and farmer. The two must co-operate and feel more than a mercenary interest between them in any business transaction."

No Actual Depression Reason.

Mr. McCague could see very little reason for business depression, if such there is. At least not after considering the statistics, which show that exports are greater than ever before; crops are considerably above the average, especially in the middle west, and all products are commanding high prices, with the exception of cotton.

"There is not much cause for depression when the facts are considered," said Mr. McCague. "It is true that business now, as a result of the war, and that alone, is being driven along untried paths; or, to be more explanatory, is sailing on uncharted seas. But I firmly believe that what depression there is, and that is only in the east, is more through anxiety and uneasiness than through any apparent cause.

Consider Europe.

That the people of this country should feel unusually well blessed, when cognizance of the situation over most of the remainder of the world, is taken, was the belief of the speaker. While all Europe is being harassed, the people killed by the thousands and property by the millions of dollars is being burned and confiscated, Mr. McCague could not see, and told his audience so, why people in this country should feel downcast.

Attention also was called by him to the solid foundation upon which the banks have been placed by the new federal reserve act, the stability of markets and financial matters ever since the European war began, and the present industrial and manufacturing conditions.

The large yields of wheat, corn, oats and other farm products, the high prices for the same and live stock, also were mentioned as further proof that American people of all lines of occupation are and should feel that they are particularly blessed.

The faithful performance of their duties in the face of impending dangers seldom besetting an administration by President Wilson and congress the last few months likewise received the plaudits of Mr. McCague. It furthermore brought from the more than 100 earnest business men and workers for Maryville a cheer and an applause which resounded nicely down the long stretch of space in the Elks club dining room.

Explains Normal Farm Course.

The establishment of a permanent week's farm course each fall at the State Normal school, with the co-operation of the Commercial club was explained by Ira Richardson, president of the state institution, in an address preceding Mr. McCague. He told of the speakers and demonstrators already assured for the initial course to be held at the school December 8 to 12, inclusive, and of its primary purpose and object.

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PATRONS' BACKING NEEDED.

Clearmont Principal Says Getting Co-Operation With Teachers is Problem.

The following is from the St. Joseph Gazette:

"The problem of the small town school," declared George W. Somerville, principal of the Clearmont school, "is that of getting the patrons to co-operate with the teachers. This ought to be done sociably as well as in just the ordinary way of backing up the teacher's authority, and the school house ought to be the common meeting ground of the teacher, pupil, and patron."

Somerville is located in a town of 261, having a school of eighty-five pupils. The high school offers a three-year course and has sixteen pupils.

The Clearmont teacher last Tuesday tried the experiment of having an "everybody go to school day," and succeeded in getting fifty patrons out to hear the classes in their regular recitations and see the school house and equipment.

ELECTION, $2,591

BI-ANNUAL VOTE COSTS COUNTY MUCH, REPORT SHOWS.

PRINTING COSTS MOST

Judges and Clerks Add $920 to Bill—Extra Pay for Jurors Increase Expense Nearly $800.

The general bi-annual election held in Nodaway county Tuesday, November 3, will cost the taxpayers $2,591.19, according to figures gathered at the office of the county clerk today. More than one-half of this amount went for the printing of ballots and the fifteen amendments. In the opinion of county officials, the election just over was the most expensive yet held in this county on account of the necessity of abolishing so many proposed state amendments.

While in a presidential election there are generally more to be voted for, the cost is no greater, or at least very little more. The pay for judges and clerks at the twenty-nine precincts added $920 to the election bill. Six judges and four clerks are provided for each of the twenty-three election precincts. Each receives $4 per day.

How the Bill Stands.

The bill which the taxpayers must foot for the little act of a week ago Tuesday is divided as follows, according to J. G. Thornhill, presiding judge of the county court:

Printing ballots	$1,393.24
Election supplies	104.45
For judges	552.00
For clerks	368.00
Election room rental	57.50
Messengers	38.00
Constable services	78.00
Total cost	$2,591.19

The messenger service is for the conveying of election returns from each of the precincts except the four in Maryville. The rental for election room averaged $2.50 for each precinct. Constables for each precinct received $6 for the day.

Candidates Spend $2,600.

Add to this the fact that each of the twenty-six county candidates on the three leading political parties averaged spending $100 or more in the race for office, or a total of $2,600, and the election expense will be brought to more than $5,000. Of course, the taxpayers will not have to pay for the candidates' expenses, but it just shows what a little, old, measly county election costs.

Then pile on top of that the primary expense last August, when the various candidates had to be "weeded out" and you will have $6,000 or more as the grand total.

Jurors Receive More.

Another added expense this year to Nodaway county, also all others in the state, is brought about by the payment since January 1 of $1 extra to circuit court jurors. This alone has amounted to about $800 in Nodaway county since the law became effective, according to County Treasurer W. R. Tilson. Nobody will kick about this, likely, as even with the $1 increase the jurors, who sometimes are little more than prisoners, receive but $3 per day of service. Take out his living expenses while on service, and he goes home just a little pooper generally than when he became a juror.

There have been three court terms in this county since the law went into effect, January, April and September, and that will be all for this year. Each jury empaneling cost $24 more a day under the new law.

To Spend Winter at Galesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fite and Mrs. Hazel Merrick and daughter, Virginia, left this morning for St. Joseph to make a short visit. From there Mrs. Merrick and her daughter will go to Galesburg, Ill., to spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. Etta Fite.

TAKE GERMAN SHIP

BRITISH REPORT CRUISER KARLSRUHES HAS BEEN CORNERED.

KAISER LOSES 90,000

Estimate Nearly Tenth Million Teutons Killed or Captured—Allies Fight Desperately at Yser.

London, Nov. 13.—The German cruiser Karlsruhes has been cornered by part of the British-French fleet and is in danger of being destroyed, according to a rumor which has circulated among the shipping firms of London. Although not so bold as the Emsden nor has the raids made by it been so successful, the Karlsruhes has been considered one of the most dangerous German sea runners. The rumor, if true, will bring relief to the shipping trade.

London, Nov. 13.—Of the half million Germans that have engaged in the war, ninety thousand, or nearly one-fifth have been killed, wounded or captured, it is estimated by German officers who have been captured in battle and now are being held. This estimate includes all battles up to a few days ago. The number now may be nearer 100,000.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The allies are making a desperate effort to drive the Teutons back across the Yser river, but so far have failed, except to push forward a short distance at several points. Experts believe that the German line must give soon, however, when a retreat across the Belgian river must be made to save themselves from capture.

London, Nov. 13.—Turkey was compelled to enter the war by a secret treaty made with Germany many years ago, according to diplomats here.

Petrograd, Nov. 13.—News of the beginning of a battle at Cracow, Galicia, between the Germans and Russian forces is momentarily expected here.

TO HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES.

First Presbyterian People Will Have Two Interesting Meets Sunday.

Two attractive services are to be held Sunday for the congregation of the First Presbyterian church. The first one is to be a special sociability service, the Maryville people going to the Rockford church, south of the city, to unite in services with the congregation of that church Sunday afternoon.

This meeting is to inaugurate regular services to be held by the pastor, Rev. S. D. Harkness, at the Rockford church the third Sunday afternoon in each month. The service begins at 3:30 o'clock. The autos conveying the Maryville party will leave the church at 2:45 o'clock. About twenty cars will be in line.

The music for the afternoon will be furnished by the choir of the Rockford church.

The people of both churches are enthusiastic over the plan of holding the monthly afternoon service and appreciate the opportunity of getting acquainted by this assembling together.

The second service which has been planned for Sunday is the missionary service in the evening in charge of the Men's club. Its object is to impress the need of missions upon the church at this critical time. The program is under the direction of S. C. Gillam, chairman. The Bible reading and prayer service will be conducted by J. D. Richey and S. O. Hutchison. There will be two talks, one on "The European War and Missions," by H. P. Swinehart, and one by George Demott on "The Relation of Money to the Kingdom." A specially prepared musical program will also be given in connection with the service. While taking no public part in the program, the Women's Missionary society of the church is lending its co-operation to the Men's club in making the evening one of vital significance.

To Hold Revival at Bedison.

A series of revival meetings will be held at the Christian church at Bedison, beginning Monday night, November 16. The meetings will be conducted by Evangelist R. A. Thompson of Plattsburg.

Illinois Visitors Here.

Judge and Mrs. O. B. Metcalf of Gerard, Ill., arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

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The Kat Plant.

In parts of Abyssinia and Yemen the natives use a plant called kat (Catha edulis), the effects of which are similar to those of the Peruvian coca. The freshly cut leaves have a rather pleasant taste and produce a kind of intoxication of long duration, with none of the disagreeable features of ordinary inebriety. Messengers and soldiers are enabled by chewing the leaves to go without food for a number of days. Among those who abuse the habit the body tends to dry, the visage becomes emaciated, and nervous trouble follows, the most usual being a trembling of the limbs, but these cases are rare.

All In the Bill.

"I have sent for you," said the man of the house, "because these pipes need looking after. There's a leak somewhere and a lot of gas going to waste."

"No, sir," replied the gas company's inspector meditatively. "Maybe there's a leak, but there ain't any gas going to waste—you'll find it all in the bill." —Milwaukee Journal

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IF CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH AND SICK

Look, Mother! If Tongue is Coated, Cleanse Little Bowels With "California Syrup of Figs.

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

SEES PROSPERITY

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He said it was the intention now to make this an annual feature, and expressed the desire that the merchants and business men in general would favorably receive and aid any step looking toward further co-operation between farmer and city dweller.

Would Concentrate "Stunts."

A discussion relative to entertainments to be given by the Commercial club followed the banquet last night. Those who spoke were J. H. Sewell, E. C. Curfman, G. L. Wilfley and C. C. Corwin. Whether the club should plan one big entertainment or boosting event each fall and then again in the spring, or spread the events throughout the year, was the question open to debate.

A resolution was later passed leaving the entertainment feature entirely to the directorate of the club.

C. C. Hellmers spoke on the "buy-at-home" plan, and how each person could aid the movement individually, and by co-operating with the merchants and the civic organization.

Diners Enjoy Music.

W. E. Goforth, local agent of the Burlington railroad, appealed to the Maryville folks to buy round trip tickets when taking passage on either the Burlington or Wabash, and thereby insure greater business here and further consideration by the railroad officials.

Music by Maulding's orchestra and the male quartet of the Conservatory of Music took well with the hundred diners, as they grouped about the U-shaped festal board in the Elks club basement. A vote of thanks to the Commercial club for the banquet and entertainment given last night was unanimously given.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With the Othine Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with the proper glasses. Prices reasonable. **H. T. CRANE.**

Kinzel Recital

TONIGHT
1st M. E. Church

Auspices Order of Eastern Star. One of the Musical Events of the Season.

Admission, Adults 50c, Children 25.

WAR MAP

General Battle Line In France, Where Fighting Is Now the Fiercest.

EAST YSER BANK IS CLEAR OF ALLIES

German Official Statement Asserts Foe Driven Across River.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—German general headquarters issued the following:

"The enemy advanced from Nieuport as far as Lombaertzyde, but was driven across the Yser. The eastern bank of the Yser as far as the sea is now clear of the enemy.

"Our attack across the Yser canal to South Dixmude is progressing.

"In the region east of Ypres we have advanced farther and captured 700 French soldiers, four cannon and four machine guns.

"The enemy's attacks in the forest of Argonne were repulsed.

"In the eastern theater of war our cavalry operating near Kalisz have driven back the Russian cavalry, which made a fresh advance.

"Vienna headquarters report that in the battle for the heights of Misar against the Servians between Nov. 6 and 11, 4,300 prisoners were taken.

"Constantinople headquarters reports that the Caucasian army is attacking the second line of the Russian positions. According to reports of prisoners the morale of the Russians is very bad.

"Turkish troops which have crossed the Egyptian frontier have occupied El Arish and Sheikzar."

PARIS STATEMENT HOPEFUL

French War Office Declares All Positions Maintained.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The official communication issued by the French war office was as follows:

"To the north we have held all our positions. The enemy has sought to debouch from Dixmude by a night attack, but has been repulsed.

"We have resumed the offensive against the enemy, who had crossed the river Yser, and have driven him back at all points except at one place, where he occupies from 200 to 300 meters on the right bank.

"In the center we have gained some ground in the region of Tracy-Le-Val, to the northeast of the forest of L'Aigue.

"In the Argonne region the German attacks have been very serious, but have accomplished nothing."

Texas Brewer Murdered.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 13.—Otto Koehler, millionaire brewer of this city, was shot and instantly killed at the home of Miss Hedda Burgemeister, a trained nurse. Miss Burgemeister, who is under arrest charged with the deed, attempted to take her own life by severing an artery in her arm with a knife.

Women to Vote In Parish Meet.

New York, Nov. 13.—Women hereafter will enjoy equal rights with men at parish meetings at the New York diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church. With only a dozen votes in the negative, they were given the right to vote by the adoption of a resolution at the annual convention in this city.

Farm House Burns; Aid Barred.

Jacksonville, Ill., Nov. 13.—The farm house of Robert Viand, near here, was burned down because neighbors and fire apparatus were barred off the grounds by foot and mouth disease quarantine.

The Mausoleum In Oak Hill Cemetery

Maryville, Missouri

Will be constructed of re-inforced concrete, white sand finished exterior and marble interior. Windows of Cathedral glass and Bronze doors. It will also contain three receiving vaults, which are fitted with microphonic gong, whereby burials alive are prevented.

The building will be endowed with sufficient fund to perpetually guarantee its up-keep.

It will also contain an historical vault, wherein will be placed on day of Dedication, all matter of historical interest to the citizens of Maryville and vicinity. The purchaser of crypts will have the family histories written by expert writers and placed in a celluloid tube, sealed and placed in historical vault, together with their photograph which are placed in celluloid envelopes and sealed.

Now, we invite the citizens of this vicinity, whether they are subscribers for crypts or not, to bring anything they may have of historical interest to the Mausoleum Office over the Nodaway Valley Bank, where same will be arranged by a committee.

The Historical Vault is not to be opened until year of 2015, which is Anniversary of the Dedication of the Mausoleum, when unborn generations will open this vault and read the life history of those entombed here. It will be like a "handshake from across the centuries."

From a list of more than Five Hundred Letters Received by the Promoters,

Maryville, Mo., Nov. 12, 1914.—In support of Mausoleum entombment we offer the following endorsement, warranting the entire satisfaction of crypt owners and the people in general. Kindly read the following endorsements, as they leave no further commendation

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Sheffield, Ia., Jan. 28, 1913.—Replying to your inquiry under date of Jan. 21st, regarding the Mausoleum at this place will say the writer was a member of the building committee, and was in quite close touch with the construction and progress of the building during the entire time it was being constructed, and I am pleased to say that "to the best of my knowledge and belief," carry out to the letter the entire agreement and promises made by them to the crpyt subscribers, and I am firmly of the opinion that said building as erected is so constructed that it will last for time immemorial.

I believe this mode of taking care of the dead eliminates the horrors that accompany earth burial, especially under conditions as exist in our cemetery at this place, which we were compelled to contend with; that is, the gophers from their incessant labors did carry human bons from the graves to the surface of the cemetery and left the bones scattered abouton the ground. I am informed that these conditions exist in other cemeteries as well The majority of the crypt holders are among the representotive citizens of our community.

Any further information we will be able to give, will be gladly given.

Yours very truly,
(Signed.) C. J. LeVALLEY, Vice Pres.-Cash. Farmers & Merchants bank

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City of Hutchinson, Kan., 2-13-13.—I beg to say I am a true believer in the Mausoleum. I am a subscriber and have paid for three crypts in the Mausoleum which your company constructed here. I never made an investment before that I felt better over than I do in the investment for crypts. I feel positive that the Mausoleum your company constructed here is built first-class, both as to material and construction, and must say that the building is in every way superior to what I had expected and that I am fully satisfied in all respects.

IF PEOPLE WOULD ONLY TAKE TIME TO CONSIDER THE MATTER OF A MAUSOLEUM, THEY WOULD BE BUILT IN NEARLY EVERY TOWN IN OUR COUNTRY.

Very truly,
(Signed.) FRANK VINCENT, Mayor.

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Ackley, Ia., Jan. 15, 1913.—In regard to our Mausoleum. The people here favor the Mausoleum. It is far better than the earth burial. Our Mausoleum is constructed so that it will last forever. The crypts are all sold.

Yours truly,
(Signed.) B. L. TREY, Funeral Director.

Finley, O., Jan. 28, 1913.—We have had fifteen interments and there could be nothing more pleasing than the feeling left with the families of the deceased, and seeing the bodies of their loved one laid away in this clean dry, sunny building of the dead. I personally believe this way of burial is not only sanitary, but the only humane way of disposing of the dead. Our Mausoleum is growing in favor every day with the public. I can say that everything has come up to the expectation of the crypt owners.

Ver ytruly yours,
(Signed.) F. M. BARNHART, Funeral Director and Emb.

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New Sharon, Ia., Jan. 24, 13.—In reply to your inquiry, we had a Mausoleum built here this last summer and the crypts were all subscribed for before being built. There are a number of bodies now in there. As an undertaker of forty years' experience I am convinced this mode of interment will be in general use among all of our citizens that have the means to pay for them, in the future. In Oskaloosa they have one and both are substantial and very satisfactory so far.

Yours truly,
(Signed.) A. H. SHANNON, Undertaker.

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Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 13, 13.—Replying to your communication will say that the citizens of Battle Creek seem to take favorably to the Mausoleum mode of burial. Personally I think it does eliminate the horrors of earth burial. The Mausoleum in this city is well constructed and should last for somt time. The crypts were subscribed for rapidly and were taken by many of our leading citizens.

Yours truly,
(Signed.) THOS. ZELINSKY, Mayor.

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Dundee, Mich., Jan. 23, 1913.—As far as I am able I desire to reply to the above favor. The building here has been erected in the most thorough man ner that it is possible to build and I can see no reason why it should not last for ages, especially if it received usual care. Among the better class of people here it seems to appeal very forcibly and apartments sell very freely. As to its sanitary features no one gives it a doubt and the fact is that we regard it as completely sanitary.

Yours, etc,
(Signed.) Wm. CLUTE, Cash. Monroe Co., Bank.

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La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 23, 1913.—Replying to your letter I would say the Mausoleum in our Oak Grove cemetery is now completed, and seems to be a structure that will last forever. The crypts are rapidly subscribed for and I notice a large portion of our people favor the Mausoleum burial.

Yours truly,
(Signed.) JOHN DENGLER, Mayor.

Maquaketa, Ia., Jan. 21st, 1914.—I think people here generally favor Mausoleum burial. I think this mode of burial does to some extent eliminate the horros of earth burial. The Mausoleum is well built and will last for a long while. Crypts were subscribed for reasonably fast and have been taken by representative citizens.

Very truly yours,
(Signed.) F. W. WYATT, Mayor.

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Executive Dept., Niles, O., 1-28-13.—I am in receipt of your communication regarding the promotion and erection of community Mausoleums. Replying to same will say that there has been one erected in our cemetery, and the people in this vicinity seem to favor this mode of burial. I am a subscriber and personally think it is the proper mode of burial.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed.) JOHN S. NAYLOR, Mayor.

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Senate Chamber, State of Minnesota, Feb. 17, 1913.—Replying to your favor of recent date regarding the Mausoleum in Greenwood Cemetery, Mankato, will say in reply that I am very much pleased with the building and that it is as near perfect, from an artistic point of view, as can be obtained.

Yours very truly,
(Signed.) S. D. WORKS.

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Creston, Ia., Jan. 23rd., 1913.—In answer to your letter of the 21st will say thew have one here and seems to be satisfactory. Looks like a good building and all crypts are taken.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed.) L. W. REYNOLDS, Mayor.

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Morris, Ill., Jan. 25th., 1913.—Crypts were rapidly sold and to representative families. Building is substantial and handsome and I am told quite satisfactory to patrons.

Yours very truly,
(Signed.) F. S. CUNNEA, Cashier First National Bank.

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Alliance, O., Jan. 21, 1913.—The style of burial is well thought of here and the crypts are held by representative people. The one here is concrete and of good construction.

Yours truly,
(Signed.) F. K. FETTERS, Cash. First National Bank.

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Ansonia, Ohio, Feb. 11th, 1913.—The Mausoleum mode of burial is well thought of in this community and the crypts in the one here I think are really subscribed for.

Yours truly,
(Signed.) F. S. KISER, Cash. Citizens Bank Co.

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Gillman, Ill., Jan. 23, 1913.—Believe the Mausoleum is a success, at least it certainly is here. A great ornament to a cemetery and one that and community should be proud of.

(Signed.) Mayor of Gilman, Ill.

Did you ever stop to think that the price you pay for an expensive Monument would entomb your entire family in our beautiful Oak Hill Mausoleum where they will rest throughout time, and the linen that wrapped the precious frame will not even be stained.

To Visit in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kuchs left this morning for St. Joseph to spend a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuchs.

Is Your Health Valuable!

Disease is always a handicap. It unfits its victims for business or pleasure—sometimes temporary, often permanently.

Life is a constant struggle and the man afflicted with a disease is outclassed at every turn.

In these days a sharp competition, no one can hope to be successful unless sound in mind and body.

None should neglect their health until it is too late for a cure.

Constantly Dr. Prettyman is reminded of the seriousness of delay. Many, who call on him, are incurable only because of delay. Reader, are you neglecting your plain duty to yourself? If you fear or know you are, call on the Woctor at his next visit to Maryville Monday, November 16 and get his opinion free.

To Fill St. Joseph Parish.

Father Joseph of Conception will act as pastor of the cathedral parish of St. Joseph during the absence of the regular pastor, the Rev. J. J. O'Neill, who has been called to the bedside of his father at St. Louis.

BEDISON NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Browne were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Devine and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riley of Mexico, Mo., visited friends in the vicinity of Bedison this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Devine spent last week the guests of friends in Moberly.

The Swinford school is having a vacation for corn gathering this week.

Miss Bernice McGinniss spent Sunday visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Neal have gone to Maryville to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. B. M. Chandler, and family.

Charles Roach shipped a car load of horses to St. Joseph this week.

Elmer Young has just completed the building of a new barn on his farm.

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UNDERTAKING AMBULANCE EMBALMING

Tells the Truth.

A frank editor of an east Missouri paper relieves his pent-up feelings after the death of one of the citizens of his town as follows: "George Wolard is dead, and dying went as straight to hell as an arrow shot from a bow. For seventy-five years he has lived in this town. During that time he has opposed every enterprise that would tax him a copper; he opposed schools; he never gave a cent to church or charity, he opposed sewers, and electric lights; he minded everybody else's business; he was a hog and his influence was always on the side of the devil. He left an estate of $65,000 and a life that smells to heaven."

Is Friday, the 13th.

Before doing anything whatsoever today, even though it be but eating, it perhaps would not be amiss to consult the calendar. It will inform you that today, if superstition carries any weight, will be an unlucky one. It is Friday, and also is the thirteenth day of November. That it could not be also in the year 1913 is just a misfortune.

Haineses Defeat the Toggerys.

The Haines bowling team won three straight games from the Toggery team last night. Becker of the Haines team had high score of 159 and also high average of 146. The Barmann Machinists will play Townsend's El Roi Tans next Tuesday night.

Did you know the only Christian burial is a tomb—The Mausoleum? Abraham's tomb, Mary's tomb, Rachael's tomb and David's tomb are intact today, to say nothing of the thousands' of historical tombs scattered throughout the world, and are as old as the memory runneth.

Returns from St. Joseph.

Mrs. H. E. Wright returned at noon today from St. Joseph, where she has been for several days with her mother, Mrs. F. E. Houser of Grant City, who is ill at a St. Joseph hospital.

The hardests sounds the human ear ever recorded was the shovels of earth falling on the bodies of their loved ones placed in the grave.

Kodaks and suppiies at Crane's.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Market will be open Monday.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong.

Hogs—1,300. Market 5c higher; top, $7.85.

Sheep—2,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.

Hogs—9,500. Market strong; top, $7.90.

Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

Ship to St. Joseph Market.

The following Nodaway county farmers shipped stock to the St. Joseph market yesterday: T. McCrary, Ray Bros., Herndon & Bishop, J. W. Spoonemore, B. F. Dougan, J. B. Horton, J. Aldrich, H. C. Lyle, C. P. Smith, A. Jones, J. B. Nunnelley, John Griffey, A. H. Hughes, John Appleby, John Dowden, P. Griffey, G. H. Swaney, J. A. Sharr, W. J. Stevenson & Co., Guyett & Kester, A. L. Oakerson, St. Clair & Co., and Kendall & Rankin.

An old fashioned country ball will be given at W. O. W. hall Saturday night, November 21. Everyone invited. Begins at 8 o'clock. 13

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"THE QUEEN OF AUTUMN FLOWERS"

Also fresh cut roses, carnations, lily of the valley, violets, etc. Potted chrysanthemums, ferns, cyclamen, begonias, etc. Have you planted your tulip, hyacinth, daffodils and jonquil bulbs yet? Be sure to visit our house of chrysanthemums during this month.

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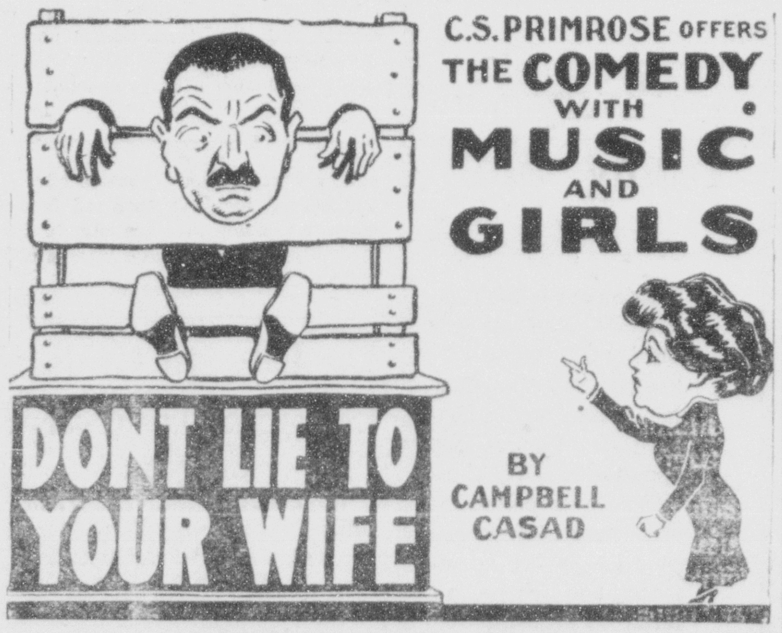

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U. S. FORCES NOT TO LEAVE MEXICO

President Will Not Fix Date For Evacuation of Vera Cruz.

ATTITUDE ONE OF NEUTRALITY

No Action Taken Until It Is Seen Which Faction Is In Control of Government—Decisive Battle Will Be Fought Near Queretaro.

Washington, Nov. 13.—President Wilson and Secretary Bryan have decided not to fix a date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz by the American troops until it is determined which faction can dominate that section of Mexico sufficiently to carry out the guarantees asked by the United States as a prerequisite to its withdrawal.

General Aguilar is in command of most of the troops in the immediate vicinity of Vera Cruz and is believed to be loyal to General Carranza, who is in open conflict with the national convention which declared General Gutierrez provisional president of Mexico.

Unwilling to Act Yet.

The president is unwilling to withdraw the troops until the various guarantees asked for can be enforced and there is no danger that some other faction on becoming dominant will disclaim responsibility for negotiations hitherto conducted with General Carranza.

The Washington government does not desire to interfere in any way in the tangled controversy which has arisen between the various military chieftains.

The United States will continue its custom of dealing with each element that is in defacto control of a certain territory. Special agents are accompanying General Gutierrez, General Villa and General Carranza. From all these representatives come advices reflecting the uncertainty and doubt which enveloped the general situation.

Tangle of Plots and Counter Plots.

On the alignment of the various chieftains depends whether civil war will result in earnest. Should a majority of the more powerful leaders side with the convention, Carranza, of course, will be compelled by force of arms to relinquish power. It will take several days for the situation to shape itself, however, and Mexico, according to official reports, is wrapped in a tangle of plots and counter-plots between the two elements in their contest to win the support of the more important military chiefs.

Official advices showed that General Carranza had moved his archives, cabinet and clerical force to Cordoba for a lengthy stay. He is understood to have left Mexico City because he doubted the loyalty of troops guarding the capital. When General Blanco started from Aguas Calientes for Mexico City he was arrested at Silao by General Pablo Gonzales, who hitherto has been regarded as a supporter of Queretaro.

Blanco Will Be Released.

Dispatches from Aguas Calientes, saying General Gonzales would stand by the convention, were taken to mean that Blanco would be released and that the two men might work in harmony in the control of Mexico City and the surrounding territory. If the report concerning Gonzales is verified it also will mean that Villa's big columns which moved southward will have uninterrupted control of the territory between Aguas Calientes and Mexico City, leaving Carranza to operate toward the east of the Mexican capital. It is believed a decisive battle will be fought in the vicinity of Gueretaro.

FLOOD OF RESOLUTIONS

More Than Hundred Offered at Labor Federation Meet.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—More than 100 resolutions dealing with the many problems of union labor, boycotts, jurisdictional differences, the European war and the social welfare of the workmen have been presented to the American Federation of Labor convention for its consideration.

Among the important resolutions presented and referred to committee was one by the coal miners urging the president of the United States to insist that the Colorado mine operators comply with the federal plan for a settlement of the strike in that state, and for the government to take over the mines and operate them in the event the mine owners refuse to accept the peace plan.

Another resolution which attracted attention and probably will be adopted by the convention was introduced by President Samuel Gompers, and related to the European war. It conveyed the sympathy of the organized labor movement of America to the organized labor movement of Europe.

Six More Night Riders Arrested.

Ardmore, Okla., Nov. 13.—Six alleged night riders were arrested in Love county, bringing the number now under arrest on similar charges in that county up to twenty-one. The charge in each case is conspiracy and threats to destroy property and do bodily harm. According to cotton growers, the night riders have organized to force a selling price for cotton of not less than 10 cents a pound.

Did you stop to think that the ground burial was not Christian burial? And to that the ground burial originated in the "Dark Ages"? That during that period anarchy reigned, property had no rights? The battle was to the strong alone; that they were so busy robbing and plundering, they threw their dead upon the ground, covered them with a few leaves? Later they dug a ditch, threw the body into it, and today our graves are the outgrowth of that period.

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Virginia Maurine Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Becker announce the birth of their daughter Thursday morning, to whom they have given the name Virginia Maurine.

Young Ladies' Society to Meet.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Ruth Matter, 222 West Thompson street, with Miss Matter and Mrs. Emmett Scott hostesses. The leader will be Mrs. Rolia Alexander.

Shower for Newly Weds.

Mr. and Mrs. William Saunders, living near Pickering, were given a miscellaneous shower last night by the members of classes 5 and 6 in the Pickering Sunday school. The classes are taught by Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders are newly weds, Mrs. Saunders being Miss Pearl Craven previous to her marriage to Saunders a few weeks ago.

To Give Bazaar and Playlet.

Plans were made for the holding of a bazaar on December 3 and 4 by the Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church at its monthly business session, held yesterday afternoon. On the second evening of the event a playlet called "A Bride of Colonial Days" will be given under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brown of St. Joseph. One hundred children are to participate in the play.

Queen Esther Circle.

The Queen Esther Circle of the First Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles McNeal, 604 South Buchanan street. The following program will be given:

Devotions................Greta Kemp

Music................Elfreida Linville

"A Mormon Girl in School"........

........................Fern Wright

"The Mormon Girl'........Mary White

Music...........Josephine Wilderman

"A Home Redeemed"..Mildred Bellows

To Honor Visiting Officer.

In honor of Mrs. Mary Showers of St. Louis, department inspector of the Women's Relief Corps, who is the guest of Mrs. R. M. Black, a social meeting of the Maryville Corps was held yesterday afternoon. The visiting officer held a short school of instruction for the members and the remainder of the afternoon was spent in getting acquainted. Mrs. Showers will leave this evening for Brookfield to attend a district convention.

Entertains Class Members.

Henry Miller entertained the members of his class in the First Methodist Sunday school Wednesday evening at the home of Ernest Moore. During a business session new class officers were chosen. They were Ernest Hartness, president; Robert Robey, secretary; Chilton White, treasurer, and Harold Ramsey, sergeant. The remainder of the evening was spent socially and refreshments were served by Mrs. Rebecca Brink and Mrs. Humphrey Lyle.

To Attend Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark left today for Bedford, Ia., to attend the silver wedding anniversary celebration of Mrs. Clark's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cobb. The Clarks were met by Mrs. H. B. Cobb, Mrs. Mary Griffith, Mrs. B. L. Ralph, Vincent Cobb and Edward Scott of Savannah, who accompanied them to Bedford. They will return Saturday evening and the Savannah party will come to Maryville to visit until Monday with the Clarks at the Linville hotel.

Gives Dinner for Visitors.

Mrs. Mary Bracken and son, Will, living south of the city, gave a dinner party Sunday, entertaining in honor of their guests, Miss Della Bracken of Carrollton, O., and Charles Bracken of Pompey's Pillar, Mont. Those present beside the honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Guy Haller, Miss Grace Pugh of Skidmore, Miss Laveta Epperson, Miss Hazel Everhart, Merrill, Marvin and George Epperson, G. B. Holmes, Jr., and Dale Everhart.

Society Meets With Mrs. Martin.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church held its November meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. M. Martin. Over forty members and visitors were present and an unusual enthusiasm marked the meeting. The study was taken from the Missionary Review, and readings were given by Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mrs. Earl Baker, Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mrs. C. D. Leffler, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. M. E. Long, Mrs. John Gray and Mrs. S. D. Harkness. The roll call responses were given with short items of missionary work in South America. The women also decided to lend their cooperation to the special missionary meeting to be held at the church Sunday evening under the direction of the Men's club. After the program a social hour was enjoyed and a luncheon served by the social committee, which was composed of Mrs. Martin, Mrs. George Demott, Mrs. Vilas Martin and Mrs. E. H. Bainum.

Mrs. Gex Entertains Society.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Palestine church, twelve miles south of the city, was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Robert Gex, at the spacious country home of the Gex family. The hours were spent informally, needlework, chat and music occupying the time. Several pleasing piano numbers were given by Miss Miriam Gex. In serving luncheon, Mrs. Gex was assisted by her daughters, Mrs. William Montjoy and Mrs. John Wilson. The members present were Mrs. John Neal, Mrs. Charles Talbott, Mrs. William B. Gex, Mrs Theodore Snowberger, Mrs. John Gex, Mrs. Clarence Charles, Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. William Montjoy, Mrs. Dick McDowell, Mrs. Gerald Hatfield, Miss Lizzie Russnogle, Miss Marie Shockley and Miss Miriam Gex. The guests present, other than the members, were Mrs. Giles Burris, Mrs. Robert Gex, Jr., and Stratford Saunders of Skidmore. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John Neal.

Committees for Annual Event.

A tea room is to be one of the new features of the annual bazaar to be held next week by the women of the First Methodist church. The bazaar will open Thursday morning of next week and continue through until Friday night. Dinner and supper will be served both days and entertainments will be given each evening. The various committees in charge of the work are as follows: Fancy work, Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh, Mrs. T. L. Wadley, Mrs. R. S. Braniger and Mrs. J. C. Allender; handkerchiefs, Mrs. Rolla Alexander, Mrs. R. W. Pettit and Mrs. Emmett Scott; apron and utility booth, Mrs. Anna Stauble, Mrs. John Bantz and Mrs. S. J. DeArmond; popcorn, Queen Esther Circle, directed by Miss Ola King; dining room, Mrs. O. C. Hanna and assistants; kitchen, Mrs. H. E. Wright, Mrs. John Lorance, Mrs. W. R. Wells and Mrs. Charles McNeal; tea room, Mrs. Leslie Dean, Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss Eva Rittenour; reception committee, Mrs. W. F. Smith, Mrs. G. A. VanSteenbergh, Mrs. Charles Bellows and Mrs. A. A. Brewer.

Amoma Class.

The members of the Amoma class met last night in an informal social meeting at the home of Miss Mabel Hunt. Plans were made for holding similar meetings every few weeks during the winter, and the next one will be held in the parlors of the First Baptist church, with Mrs. A. J. Luppold and Miss Frances Miller, hostesses. The members present last night were Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. James Smith, Mrs. A. J. Luppold, Mrs. George Eisenman, Mrs. Robert Jones, Mrs. Richard Viles, Mrs. Clyde Avitt, Mrs. Will Ulmer, Mrs. Frank Reynolds, Mrs. W. A. Fite, Mrs. Al Dragoo, Miss Inez Teaney, Miss Pearl Borchers, Miss Lou Henderson, Miss Goldie Adcock, Miss Hunt, Miss Frances Miller, Mrs. Nellie Cox, Miss Anna Ballinger, Miss Laura White, Miss Ina Campbell, Miss Nena Bingaman, Miss Ethel Ulmer, Miss Ruth Fite. On Friday, November 20, the class has planned a "hike" and picnic dinner. The members will walk to Pickering, have a "spread" and return on the afternoon Burlington train.

The First Division of the Ladies Aid Society of Buchanan Street Methodist Church will have a miscellaneous Market, Saturday at Hudson and Welch Hardware store. Come get your Sunday chicken all dressed.

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Lost One Hundred Hogs.

According to the Burlington Junction Post cholera is worse in that community than it has been for years. Many farmers are losing their hogs, some losing their entire herds. Mayor J. A. Barr of Burlington Junction and his son, John, who manages the farm, had 130 good shoats and they have lost over 100 of them.

Here from Plattsburg.

Miss Ruby Lorance, who teaches in the Plattsburg, Mo., schools, arrived in Maryville Wednesday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lorance.

To See Football Games.

Fred Bellows of this city and Harry Wilson of Burlington Junction, left yesterday for Ames, Ia., to attend the football game today between the Ames college and Iowa university teams.

Returns to Iowa.

Mrs. Maggie Masters of Waterloo, Ia., returned to her home today, after a two weeks visit in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Blachley and her niece, Mrs. Arthur Warner, and family.

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The intermediate division of the C. E. of the First Christian church will hold a market tomorrow at the Arnett Decorating shop.

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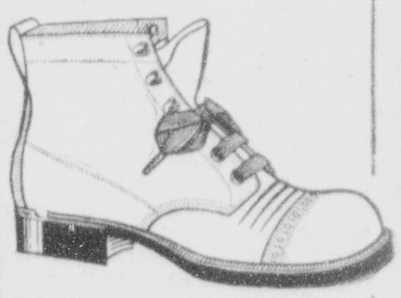

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"DON'T LIE TO YOUR WIFE."

"Don't Lie to Your Wife" is actually funny! Stage folks give it this distinction, so just imagine how such a rip roaring scream as "Don't Lie to Your Wife" has poven itself to be. Mr. Casad, the author, was formerly a New York Herald reporter, who gathered the funny sides of human nature as they came to his attention, while covering assignments, and placed them in characteristic newspaperman's style in this farce.

The piece is up to the minute, scintillating with wit—full of odd and screamingly funny situations—in fact, it might be called one long laugh in three acts, as the fun is fast and furious from beginning to end. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Empire Theatre

THE SERIOUS CRISIS WHICH CONFRONTS MISSOURI RAILROADS

Facts of Vital Interest to Every Farmer, Business Man and Citizen of the State.

The present series of articles is perhaps the first instance in which the railroads of a great state have gone direct to the farmer, the business man and the citizen generally to discuss with them in a frank and candid manner this great problem, which, in its varied phases, so vitally affects the welfare of every man, woman and child in the land. The average American voter wants to be fair about any public question and he is, once he fully understands the surrounding premises—and thus had the railroads of Missouri and other states taken their troubles directly to the people some years ago, the chances are we would not be confronted with the stagnation which has gripped the business world for some time past and which, unless remedied in the near future, threatens utter industrial paralysis throughout the country.

Every railroad official in the Nation today is doing everything in his power not only to obey the mandates of the Inter-State Commerce Commissions, but also to aid and facilitate their work in every possible way. As evidence of this statement, we cite the following facts with reference to the situation in Missouri: In 1907 the Legislature of this State enacted a 2-cent passenger fare and also greatly reduced freight rates upon a number of important items. The railroads appealed and won their case in the trial court. Thereupon the state appealed to the Supreme Court of the U. S. and that high tribunal reversed the case without prejudice to the railroads on the ground that the valuation of the properties had not been properly established. It did not say by its decision, as is commonly supposed by many people, that a two-cent passenger fare is adequate in Missouri, or that present freight rates in this state are fairly remunerative.

Had the railroads of Missouri cared to do so, they could have filed new suits the day after the Supreme Court made its decision. Instead, however, they chose to make the best of the situation. They met with the Public Service Commission at Jefferson City and agreed to give the reduced rates a thorough trial—and today, instead of going to the courts for relief, they are laying their troubles before the people and the Commission with full confidence in their sense of fairness and in the belief that they will be willing to grant such an advance in rates as will enable the railroads to continue to give good service and to pay their great part in the further development of the state.

Present Situation in a Nut Shell.

Briefly speaking, the present series of articles has sought to establish the following facts:

First, that the closing of European money markets, added to their already heavy burdens, has suddenly brought American railroads face to face with the gravest crisis in their history—and hence the recent appeal to President Wilson.

Second, that contrary to public opinion, American railroads are owned by nearly two million investors, large and small, rather than by a few rich men in Wall Street or elsewhere.

Third, that hundreds of millions of dollars of the assets of our old line life and fire insurance companies, savings banks, benevolent associations, etc., are invested in railroad securities and that when you destroy the value of these securities you affect the welfare of millions of holders of life insurance policies and bank depositors.

Fourth, that the railroads are the largest employers of labor, buyers of steel, fuel, lumber and other supplies and the largest taxpayers in the Nation, and that for this reason they constitute the very cornerstone of the country's prosperity.

Fifth, that while the products of the farmer, manufacturer, the laboring man and all kinds of materials have advanced in cost by leaps and bounds during the last 20 years, the railroads stand out as the one gigantic industry in the Nation which has not only not been permitted to increase its rates, but compelled to continually reduce them.

The Situation in Missouri.

Looking at the matter from purely a Missouri standpoint, the time has come when the people must choose between giving the railroads some substantial increase in freight and passenger rates or sending a lot more of them into the hands of receivers. There isn't a single road in Missouri which isn't losing money by carrying passengers at two cents per mile and the same is true of freight rates, which in many instances are 40 per cent lower than those of adjoining states or numerous inter-state rates which have received the approval of the Inter-State Commerce Commission.

In the meantime, the recent statements in the metropolitan press to the effect that the railroads are asking for general advances of from 50 per cent to 225 per cent are of course untrue and misleading. In the near future the public will be informed of the exact requests which the railroads will make.

As a general proposition, however, the general public is inclined to view an increase of railroad rates with exaggerated alarm. An increase in effect now on distances of between 500 and 1,000 miles would amount to between 8 mills and one cent on the average suit of clothes, 3 to 4 mills on a pair of shoes, less than one mill per pound on meats, less than two mills per dozen on eggs, 12½ cents on a two-horse plow and 93½ cents on a farm wagon—and for hauls of less than from 500 to 1,000 miles the increase would be proportionately less. Is there, therefore, anything about this problem which should alarm or inspire the antagonism of the average citizen?

For every postage stamp a Missouri railroad uses it must haul a ton of coal five miles, and many similar examples could be shown. To give them adequate rates for the services they render means they can go ahead with a comprehensive program of statewide improvement, that they will be able to put millions of dollars into betterments and new extensions, put many additional men at work in every railroad shop in the state, increase section gangs, improve their road beds, install block signals, buy new engines and cars and otherwise inaugurate an era of progress which will enable us to make the most of our agriculture, manufactures, mines, lumber and other interests.

As matters stand, numerous railroads in Missouri are paying out more money in the state than they collect on Missouri freight and passenger traffic. A notable example of this is the Missouri Pacific which, during the last fiscal year, paid into the state $1,128,126 in excess of its total receipts on Missouri traffic and which, but for its Inter-state business, would have been forced into the hands of a receiver long ago. When the people of a great state are actually receiving hundreds of thousands of dollars more from numerous railroads than they pay to them for service, should they not be willing to meet them half way in a fair and equitable rate adjustment? Or, taking the state as a whole, if the railroads are now returning practically every dollar they receive for service to the public in one way or another, should not the people be willing to give them a dollar and ten cents where they now receive a dollar, if the additional ten cents will save them from disaster and prove a powerful stimulus for every industry in the state?

The charge that the railroads are merely pleading for relief against the abnormal conditions produced by the European war is not true. While the foreign crisis has greatly intensified their difficulties, the fact remains that the present rates have been unremunerative for a number of years and a readjustment would have had to come anyway.

Missouri Should Stand for Progress.

Before the wonderful resources of Missouri can be fully developed we must not only bring our present railroads up to a high point of efficiency but we must also build many new lines and extensions into those sections of the state where farmers and local commerce and industry are still inadequately provided with transportation facilities. The chief reason why the farm lands of Iowa and Illinois are valued so much higher than lands of fully as good quality in Missouri is because those states have about double the railroad mileage found in Missouri at the present time. But investors will not put their money into new Missouri lines if we continue to advertise to the outer world that capital cannot get a square deal within our midst. In an address delivered before the Commercial Club at Jefferson City several months ago, W. B. McKinley, the big traction builder of Illinois, gave this as his reason for not having built inter-urban lines in Missouri up to this time—and until we prove to the investing public that this is not the true attitude of Missouri people we will continue to suffer the penalty.

In many respects the American railroad problem presents queer and paradoxical phases. Whatever abuses may have characterized their management in some instances in the past and the frequent charge that they are highly "watered," the fact remains, as was shown in a previous article, that they not only furnish the cheapest service in the world, but that they are capitalized for many thousands of dollars less per mile than the state owned railroads of Europe—and yet despite this fact, the country is full of reformers who are vociferously demanding government ownership.

The Government and the several states already make the rates and are now about to take the last vestige of financial authority away from the railroads by supervising the issuance of their securities. If the Government owned railroads, could it exercise authority farther reaching? Would the assumption of a government debt amounting to billions of dollars secure greater rights or protection for the people? Is it not barely possible that these crusaders who are continually groping about for a new issue are about to precipitate a state of affairs which will make the gigantic American railroad industry the tool of the reigning political faction at the National Capital—placing in its hands a tremendous instrument through which it can reward or punish any section of the country as the expediency of politics may dictate?

A Vital Force of Progress.

All thinking men admit that the railroads are the very foundation upon which rests the enterprise and industry of the Nation. Pushing their way across the trackless wilderness years ago they made it possible for the homesteader to follow in their wake and send the products of his farm to the hungry markets of the world. So, too, they preceded the miner and the lumberman and carried their cargoes back to civilization. Everywhere they have been the true pioneers—the giant pathfinders, the advance guards of progress. And, yet, notwithstanding these truths, for the last 25 years they have been the favorite subject of attack of countless political opportunists whose abuse of them has paved an easy road to public office.

No other industry except the railroads could have withstood the onslaught. However, the very rocks finally give way before the continual assault of the elements, and so the time has come when the railroads of Missouri place their fate completely in the hands of the people—confident in the belief that they will see that justice is done to this great industry which holds within it the future welfare of the commonwealth. To this end, we appeal to every citizen in the state who believes in the justice of our plea to make his views known to the different public authorities whose duty it is to deal with this great question.—(Paid Adv.)

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TO SPEND WINTER IN FLANDERS

German Plan to Stay During Cold Weather In Belgium.

DESTROY BRIDGES AND ROADS

Russians Under General Rennenkampff Reported to Be Fighting Way Into East Prussia—Johannisburg Has Been Taken.

WAR SUMMARY

While the latest French official statement says that an attempt by the Germans to debouch from Dixmude by a night attack has been repulsed, Berlin reports that the German attack across the Yser canal to the south of Dixmude is progressing and that in the region of Ypres they have made a further advance.

In the eastern arena the Russians have occupied Johannisburg, East Prussia, and in Galicia the siege of Przemysl has been resumed. Russia also reports favorable progress against the Turks in the Caucasus.

The British admiralty admits the loss of the cruisers Good Hope and Monmouth by the fire of the German squadron off the coast of Chile.

London, Nov. 13.—"The German artillery fire was practically a continual bombardment intent to pulverize the defensive preparatory to the advance of the infantry."

This announcement by the British official press bureau, regarding the fighting around Ypres and Dixmude, in west Flanders, gives some idea of the nature of the fighting which has been going on in that part of Belgium during the last few days.

The losses are admitted to have been very heavy, and, says the statement, "the allies' strength has been constantly maintained by reinforcement."

It is known that the Germans also have been receiving heavy supports with the determination of pushing their advance through to the French ports on the English channel.

For more than three weeks the British have held Ypres, which has been subjected to a rain of shells, day and night, followed at intervals by infantry attacks of the most desperate character, all of which have been repulsed.

Plan to Winter In Belgium.

In France, from the northwest to the southeast, there have been engagements of lesser importance, in which, according to the French report, General Joffre's armies have succeeded in gaining ground and strengthening their positions. The Germans continue to destroy bridges and railways in Belgium, but with what object remains a secret. It is thought, however, that they are making preparations to winter in that country and they are taking every step to prevent their plans becoming known to their enemies.

The Russian army under General Rennenkampff is fighting its way into East Prussia and has taken Johannisburg, which is on the railway from Lyck to Soldau, both of which towns are already in Russian hands. This gives Russia the control of an important railway line which skirts the frontier in German territory, and several branch railways running into the interior.

Russ Pushing Forward.

The central army, which drove the Germans back from the Vistula, has had only unimportant engagements, but it is known to be pushing forward to the borders of Posen and Silesia, which the Germans are crossing.

The Russian left wing has followed the Kilece railway to the Austrian frontier and is within a few miles of Cracow, the siege of which is imminent.

The southern army, under General Ruzsky, is at Rzeszow, between Przemysl and Cracow, and its crossing of the San river is being opposed by the Austrians. Another detachment continues the siege of Przemysl, while still another is operating against the Austrians who are holding the passes of the Carpathians.

Must Be Beaten Before Winter.

A message from Sarayevo says that the governor of Bosnia has addressed a proclamation to the Austrian army declaring that the Servians must be completely defeated before winter. In conformity with this, the Servians have been driven back to their own country, but, according to the Servian account, they inflicted a defeat on the Austrians who attempted to follow them.

There is a steady flow of recruits to Kitchener's army, and it is expected that with the territorials, who number 600,000, England before long will have an army of 2,000,000 men. New armies also are being organized in India.

Botha Routs Command of De Wet.

London, Nov. 13.—An official Pretoria dispatch says that General Louis Botha came into contact with General De Wet's command twenty-four miles east of Winberg, Orange River colony after a forced night march. The rebels were severely defeated, 250 being taken prisoners.

Jap Fleet In South American Waters.

Valparaiso, Nov. 13.—It is reported that a Chilean collier has seen a Japanese squadron off Point Carranza.

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CELEBRATE OVER WINNING TWO STATES

Victory In Montana and Nevada Occasion For Jubilee by Suffs.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 13.—The addition of Montana and Nevada to the ranks of the suffrage states was celebrated by the delegates to the National American Woman Suffrage association, which opened its annual convention here.

In a symposium on the fight for the ballot in the seven "campaign states" where woman suffrage was an issue at last week's elections, representatives of the suffrage organizations of the two where amendments were successful and the five where they were lost, told of their successes and their hopes for the future.

Mrs. Ann H. Martin, speaking for Nevada, declared her state was the "most male state" in the Union, the 1910 census showing two men to every woman. The suffrage victory, she said, indicated that the men had realized their need of women in helping to direct governmental affairs.

The suffrage victory in Montana was attributed by Miss Mary Stewart to thorough organization in each county and precinct of the state and to harmonious work by both leaders and the rank and file.

After the brief address by the representatives of Missouri, Ohio, North and South Dakota and Nebraska, where unsuccessful suffrage campaigns were waged, a resolution signed by the delegates of the seven "campaign states," expressing appreciation of the work of Dr. Shaw, was presented to the head of the national organization.

PROTEST AGAINST ORDER

Move to Save Cattle In Infected Herds Meets Opposition.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Protesting against an order by A. D. Melvin, chief of the bureau of animal industry, to save as many animals as possible in herds infected by foot and mouth disease on the grounds of economy, Arthur C. Leonard, general manager of the Union Stock Yards, telegraphed Frank Hagenbarth, president of the National Wool Growers' association, in convention at Salt Lake, calling on the men of the west to "arise and protect their flocks and herds." Mr. Leonard asserted the government's policy endangered the value of live stock worth $3,500,000,000.

The instruction of the chief of the bureau removed the fear of the owners of the 800 pedigreed dairy cattle exhibited at the dairy show, among which there are more than fifty cases of the disease, that these animals would be slaughtered. They are worth $3,000,000.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Closing prices:
Wheat—Dec., $1.15¾; May, $1.22½.
Corn—Dec., 69⅛c; May, 72⅛c.
Oats—Dec., 49¾c; May, 53¾c.
Pork—Jan., $19.40; May, $19.77½.
Lard—Jan., $10.57½; May, $10.70.
Ribs—Jan., $10.35.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, $1.13½@1.14¾; No. 2 yellow corn, 75@76½c; No. 3 white oats, 48¾@49c; standard, 49@49¾c.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Nov. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,700; dull and lower; beef steers, $6.75@10.50; cows and heifers, $5.25@7.50; stockers and feeders, $5.80@7.85; bulls, $4.75@6.75; calves, $7.75@$10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 9,400; fully steady; bulk of sales, $7.40@7.55; top, $7.65. Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; steady to strong; lambs, $6.25@9.25; wethers, $4.30@6.75; ewes, $3.75@5.90; yearlings, $5.40@7.85.

The more thoughtful and humane have for years been trying to get away from the ground, wherein they place cement and steel vaults wherein they placed their deceased friend's body—but still they fail. The cement admitted the water through its pores and the steel disintegrated and again their friends' bodies are in a cesspool of their own making.

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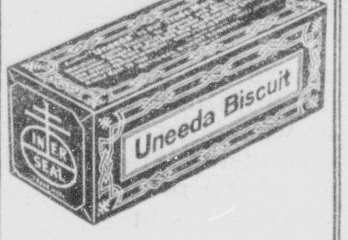

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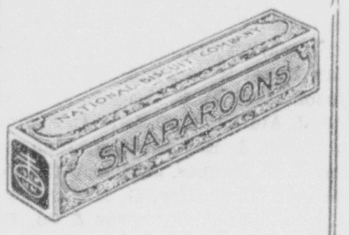

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Every Young Man

Starting out in life prefers to succeed rather than to fail. Many fail because their education in the line of saving has been neglected. The opportunity is open to every young person in this community to deposit his or her spare money and receive interest on deposits.

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FOR RENT—8-room modern house, 2 lots, vacant Nov. 1, or will trade for smaller property. See O. L. Holmes. 14-tf

FOR RENT—One room furnished for light housekeeping.

For sale—Some second-hand furniture. Mrs. Marion F. Smith, 215 West Fifth street. 11-13

For Sale.

FOR SALE—A Jersey heifer calf. Call Hanamo 3295. Mrs. L. T. James. 12-14

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, March farrow. Hanamo 51 J. Robert C. Powell. 2-14

FOR SALE—No. 9 Favorite base burner, in good condition. Call at Marcell's studio. 13-tf

FOR SALE—700 feet of tongue and groove lumber, 12 and 13 feet long. Inquire of Walter J. Holt. 13-16

FOR SALE—Waxed oak buffet, practically new. Bargain if sold at once. Call 560 or 549. 6tf

FOR SALE—Gentle driving horse, phaeton and harness. Miss Carrie Conway, Farmers phone. 12-14

FOR SALE—Well seasoned stovewood at $4.00 per grain wagon load delivered. Roy G. Kelley, Farmers phone 48-13. 9-14

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, one aged. Some yearlings and spring pigs. All immune. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, Farmers phone.

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